

Resolution No. 9-09

RESOLUTION:

To partially reject and partially confirm the Compensation Commission's recommendation for increases in the annual compensation for the Mayor and Councilmembers

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-21 of the Rockville City Code the Compensation Commission submitted a report dated March 26, 2009 to the Mayor and Council containing recommendations pertaining to the annual compensation of the Mayor and each Councilmember; and

WHEREAS, the Compensation Commission recommended that the annual compensation paid to the Mayor be increased from \$25,750 to \$26,295 for Fiscal Year 2010 and that the annual compensation of each Councilmember be increased from \$20,600 to \$21,036 for Fiscal Year 2010; and

WHEREAS, in addition, the Compensation Commission recommended that the compensation for the Mayor and each Councilmember be further increased at the beginning of FY2011 (July 2010) by any positive change in the November 2008-November 2009 Washington-Baltimore CPI-U (the federal Bureau of Labor Statistics' Washington-Baltimore metropolitan area Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers); and

WHEREAS, the Compensation Commission additionally recommended that the compensation for the Mayor and each Councilmember be further increased at the beginning of FY2012 (July 2011) by any positive change in the November 2009-November 2010 Washington-Baltimore CPI-U; and

WHEREAS, on April 27, 2009, the Mayor and Council held a worksession with the Compensation Commission on its report and recommendations; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-21 of the Rockville City Code provides that if the Mayor and Council take no action to reject or reduce the compensation recommended by the Commission said recommended compensation shall take effect at the next term of the Mayor and Council; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-21(f) of the Rockville City Code provides that the Mayor and Council may by resolution reject the compensation recommended by the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council desire to reject the compensation increases recommended for the Mayor and Councilmembers by the Compensation Commission for FY2010 and confirm the recommendations of the Compensation Commission for FY2011 and FY2012.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND,

1. That the March 26, 2009 recommendations by the Compensation Commission for compensation increases for the Mayor and each Councilmember for fiscal year 2010 are hereby rejected.

2. That the compensation of the Mayor and each Councilmember shall remain unchanged at \$25,750 for the Mayor and \$20,600 for each Councilmember during fiscal year 2010 (July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010).

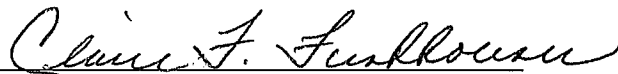
3. That the Compensation Commission's recommended compensation increases for the Mayor and each Councilmember for fiscal years 2011 and 2012 are hereby confirmed.

4. That the compensation of the Mayor and each Councilmember shall increase for fiscal year 2011 by the positive change, if any, in the Washington-Baltimore CPI-U for the twelve months preceding the previous November (November 2008-November 2009).

5. That the compensation of the Mayor and each Councilmember shall increase for fiscal year 2012 by the positive change, if any, in the Washington-Baltimore CPI-U for the twelve months preceding the previous November (November 2009-November 2010). This increase shall take effect in July 1, 2011 and remain in effect until such time as a change in the compensation for the Mayor and/or the Councilmembers becomes effective under the procedures set forth in Section 2-21 of the Rockville City Code.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy
of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council at its
meeting of May 18, 2009.



Claire F. Funkhouser, CMC, City Clerk